information that may facilitate network access point discovery and/or connection establishment by the served apparatus **212**.

[0079] In some example embodiments, if the communication apparatus **202** moves outside of range of an access point for the second network access technology **210** and/or a connection to the network **206** via the second network access technology **210** otherwise becomes unavailable, the communication apparatus **202** may switch the connection **204** back to the first network access technology **208**. The communication apparatus **202** may subsequently return to serving as a gateway to the network **206** for a served apparatus(es) **212** via the local network access technology **214**.

[0080] FIG. **8** illustrates a flowchart according to an example method for providing notification of a network access technology switching event according to some example embodiments. In this regard, FIG. **8** illustrates operations that may be performed at a communication apparatus **202**. The operations illustrated in and described with respect to FIG. **8** may, for example, be performed by, with the assistance of, and/or under the control of one or more of the processor **410**, memory **412**, communication interface **414**, user interface **416**, or notification provision module **418**. Operation **800** may comprise determining, at a communication device having an established connection to a network via a first network access technology and serving as a gateway to the network for a served device, that the connection between the communication device and the network is to be switched from the first network access technology to a second network access technology. The processor **410**, memory **412**, communication interface **414**, and/or notification provision module **418** may, for example, provide means for performing operation **800**. Operation **810** may comprise, responsive to the determination, causing a notification indicating that the served device will experience a network service disconnection to be provided prior to the connection between the communication device and the network being switched from the first network access technology to the second network access technology. For example, operation **810** may comprise causing a notification to be provided to a user of the communication apparatus. Additionally or alternatively, as another example, operation **810** may comprise causing a notification to be provided to the served apparatus(es). The processor **410**, memory **412**, communication interface **414**, user interface **416**, and/or notification provision module **418** may, for example, provide means for performing operation **810**.

[0081] FIG. **9** illustrates a flowchart according to another example method for providing notification of a network access technology switching event according to some example embodiments. In this regard, FIG. **9** illustrates operations that may be performed at a served apparatus **212**. The operations illustrated in and described with respect to FIG. **9** may, for example, be performed by, with the assistance of, and/or under the control of one or more of the processor **510**, memory **512**, communication interface **514**, user interface **516**, or notification handling module **418**. Operation **900** may comprise receiving a notification at a served device using a communication apparatus as a gateway to a network that the served device will experience a network service disconnection. The processor **510**, memory **512**, communication interface **514**, and/or notification handling module **518** may, for example, provide means for performing operation **900**. Operation **910** may comprise, responsive to the notification, taking action to mitigate impact of the network service disconnection. For example, operation **910** may comprise notifying a user of the impending network service disconnection. Additionally or alternatively, operation **910** may, for example, comprise causing an override request to be sent to the communication apparatus serving as a gateway to request that a switching of a connection between the communication apparatus and the network from a first network access technology to a second network access technology be delayed or prevented. As still a further example, operation **910** may comprise identifying an alternative network access, such as based at least in part on information that may be included in the received notification. The processor **510**, memory **512**, communication interface **514**, user interface **516**, and/or notification handling module **518** may, for example, provide means for performing operation **910**.

[0082] FIGS. **8-9** illustrate flowcharts of a system, method, and computer program product according to some example embodiments. It will be understood that each block of the flowcharts, and combinations of blocks in the flowcharts, may be implemented by various means, such as hardware and/or a computer program product comprising one or more computer-readable mediums having computer readable program instructions stored thereon. For example, one or more of the procedures described herein may be embodied by computer program instructions of a computer program product. In this regard, the computer program product(s) which embody the procedures described herein may be stored by one or more memory devices of a mobile terminal, server, or other computing device (for example, in the memory **412**, memory **512**, and/or the like) and executed by a processor in the computing device (for example, by the processor **410**, processor **510**, and/or the like). In some example embodiments, the computer program instructions comprising the computer program product(s) which embody the procedures described above may be stored by memory devices of a plurality of computing devices. As will be appreciated, any such computer program product may be loaded onto a computer or other programmable apparatus (for example, a communication apparatus **202**, served apparatus **212**, and/or other apparatus) to produce a machine, such that the computer program product including the instructions which execute on the computer or other programmable apparatus creates means for implementing the functions specified in the flowchart block(s). Further, the computer program product may comprise one or more computer-readable memories on which the computer program instructions may be stored such that the one or more computer-readable memories can direct a computer or other programmable apparatus to function in a particular manner, such that the computer program product may comprise an article of manufacture which implements the function specified in the flowchart block(s). The computer program instructions of one or more computer program products may also be loaded onto a computer or other programmable apparatus (for example, a communication apparatus **202**, served apparatus **212**, and/or other apparatus) to cause a series of operations to be performed on the computer or other programmable apparatus to produce a computer-implemented process such that the instructions which execute on the computer or other programmable apparatus implement the functions specified in the flowchart block(s).

[0083] Accordingly, blocks of the flowcharts support combinations of means for performing the specified functions. It will also be understood that one or more blocks of the flowcharts, and combinations of blocks in the flowcharts, may be